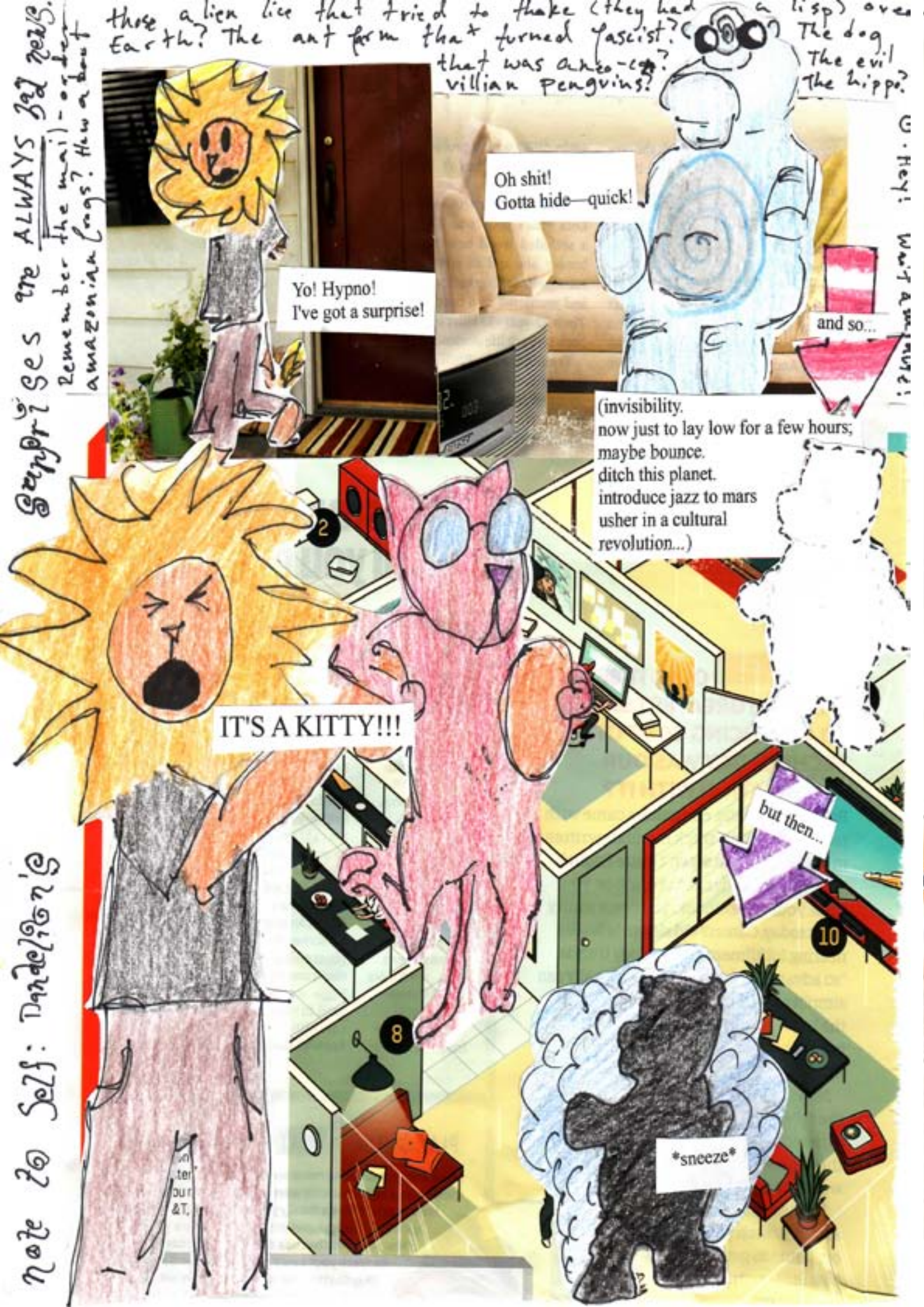




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Surprises are ALWAYS bad news!
Remember the mail-order
amazonian frogs? How about

note 20 Self: Dandelion's

those a lion like that tried to shake (they had a lisp) over
Earth? The ant farm that turned fascist? The dog
that was a neo-con? The evil
villain penguins? The hippo?

Yo! Hypno!
I've got a surprise!

Oh shit!
Gotta hide—quick!

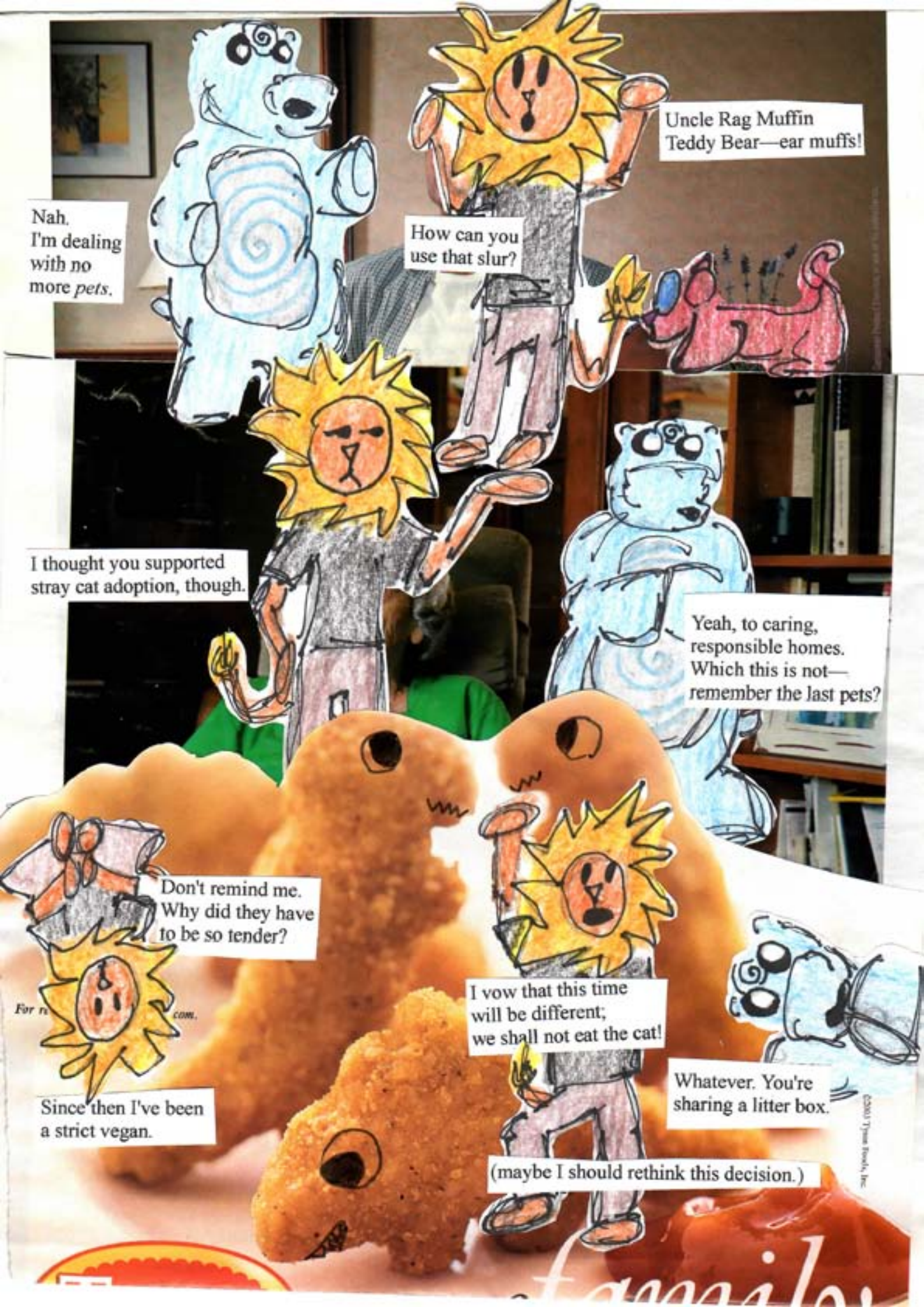
and so...

(invisibility.
now just to lay low for a few hours;
maybe bounce.
ditch this planet.
introduce jazz to mars
usher in a cultural
revolution...)

IT'S A KITTY!!!

but then...

sneeze



Nah,
I'm dealing
with no
more pets.

How can you
use that slur?

Uncle Rag Muffin
Teddy Bear—ear muffs!

I thought you supported
stray cat adoption, though.

Yeah, to caring,
responsible homes.
Which this is not—
remember the last pets?

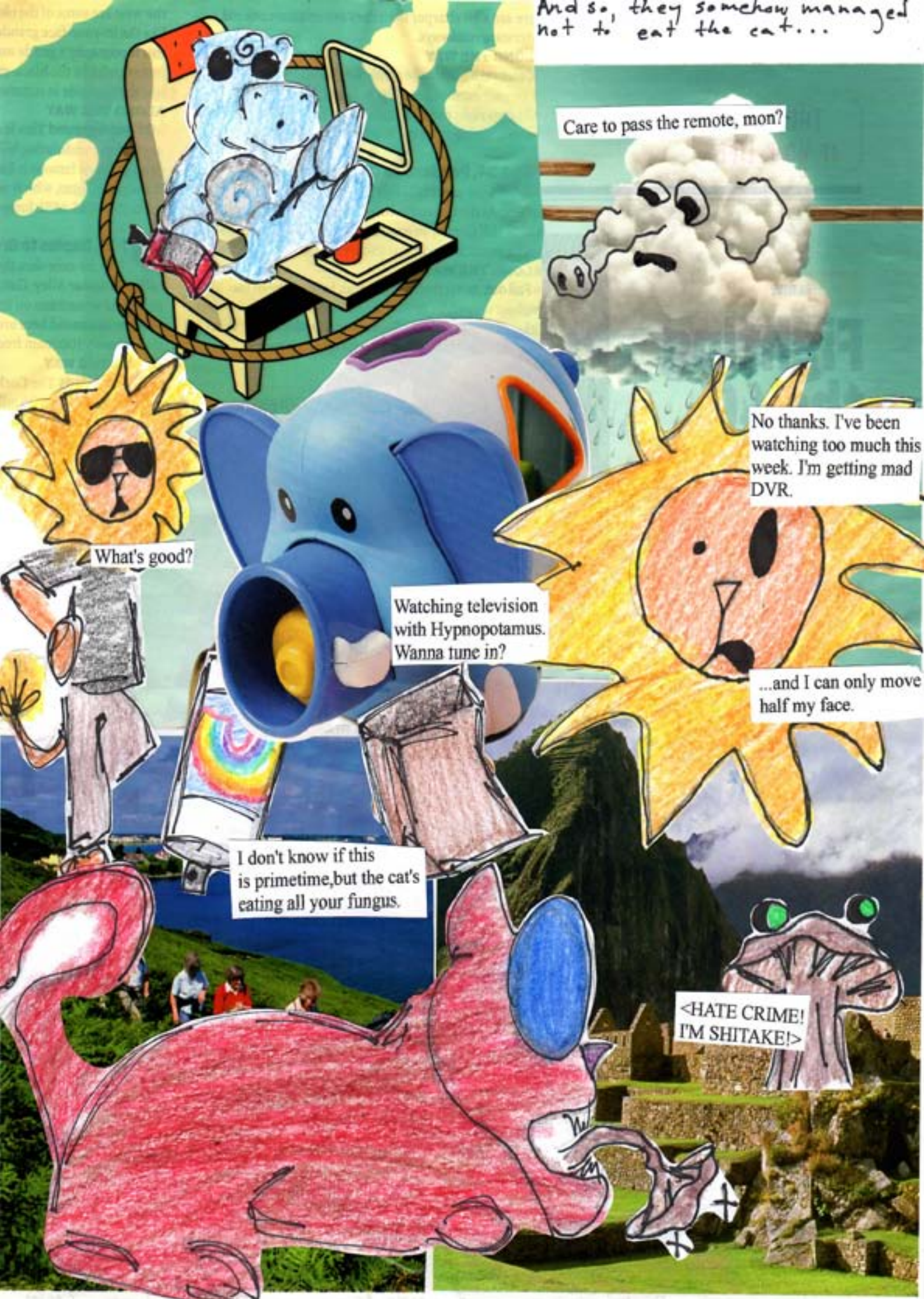
Don't remind me.
Why did they have
to be so tender?

Since then I've been
a strict vegan.

I vow that this time
will be different;
we shall not eat the cat!

Whatever. You're
sharing a litter box.

(maybe I should rethink this decision.)



And so, they somehow managed not to eat the cat...

Care to pass the remote, mon?

No thanks. I've been watching too much this week. I'm getting mad DVR.

...and I can only move half my face.

<HATE CRIME!
I'M SHITAKE!>

And so the truth flowed forth from Dandelion's pout as fear engulfed his psyche...

...neither was it his uncle, Rag Muffin Teddy Bear, as the name suggested, and Hypno had suspected...

...but rather the cat was his evil twin brother, Lionel Dandy.

Dandelion went on to reveal that since Lionel was the evil twin, he only has bad trips...

...which Dandelion—being the good twin—had never experienced.

He explained how the two had ESP and that due to their current physical proximity and the amount the fungicide had consumed...

...the bad trip was likely to jump the subspace highway and transmute itself into Dandelion's head.

Built for Speed

Nerve impulses can travel slower than a tricycle or faster than a racecar. Reaction time often slows with age, but studies show that, with practice, older people can improve their mental speed by more than 50 percent.

